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ALL KINDS OF RUMORS.

Wild rumors have flown over the land almost as they did in the dark days of 1888 when so many people thought they could pay their debts by bankrupting.

During that time, cotton was cheap, and people owed a lot of money, as people always do when they can borrow it. They jumped at what the shyster lawyer told them was a chance to evade the payment of their just debts, and they have never recovered yet.

Their property and substance were taken and their credit crippled.

The man who went to his creditor, in most cases his friend, and told him the true situation, and acted honestly, has had good credit since, and his debts were arranged in such a way that he could pay them.

We who know what it takes to make cotton, know that there is at least three or four times more work in growing an acre of cotton than there is in growing one in corn.

Here are three boys who grew 657 bushels of corn, on an acre each. It would have been a regular loafer's job for one of those boys to have done all the work himself.

One 16-year-old boy can plant and cultivate three acres in corn and fish Friday and Saturday, and take in all the picnics and all-day singings in the whole country, and take a two months' vacation in summer, and three months' vacation in winter. Not a hard life, at all, to make money growing corn on that kind of a plan. It is different when you try to grow cotton to make money.

Whenever hard times come honesty is developed, and dishonesty brought out. The man who wants to do what is right, has no trouble in making his creditor understand what he means, and usually a way is provided.

During the past few weeks all kinds of reports have gone out from Dothan. The reports say men are being broken up—sold out, lock, stock and barrel, but here in Dothan, no such reports can be run down. No case in point can be shown, unless it is where a man is trying to beat his obligations.

That is what has saved this country—the actions of the creditors, the supply merchants, the fertilizer men, the bankers, who have money out all over this country. They know more about the condition than the politicians at Washington. And the government funds? They have helped wonderfully, for the banks could not have extended the courtesy without this fund. It doesn't matter how it was handled, it was handled in such a way that so far it has been a relief to the man who owed money, secured by a mortgage on his real estate. The man who classes his banker usually doesn't know what he is talking about. He is talking on rumors instead of facts. The banks cannot thrive unless their patrons thrive. If the patrons are broken up and their business destroyed, the banks are hurt. The bankers know this.

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THREE ACRES NET \$514.61.

While we are reading of the Allies and the Germans, and wondering when cotton will go up another \$5 a bale, it is really helpful to read an article in this issue of The Eagle, telling how much money three Georgia boys made off three acres of corn.

The boys, it seems, took a premium at the Macon fair this week. One raised 227 bushels of corn, which netted him \$180.20; another, raised 210 bushels, netting \$178.01, while another raised 220 bushels, netting \$166.41. These corn growing boys were brothers, and the total money received from three acres of corn was \$514.61.

It would have taken 35 acres planted in cotton to have grown cotton, at \$30 a bale, enough to represent three acres in corn. It would have cost a good deal to have cultivated that many acres in cotton—certainly two miles most of the time, with two men, to say nothing of extra help in planting, fertilization, and then picking the cotton. There is no way of finding out just how much it would have cost to raise enough cotton to represent \$514. And you must remember, that this amount represents net profit on the corn. It doesn't represent gross receipts.

We have concluded, that such a year as this, if three men had worked hard all the year, then hired help in chopping the cotton and having it picked, that they would have probably cleared the seed out of the 17 bales, which might have been worth \$85 at the present time. If they were not good farmers they couldn't have done so well.

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A Message To Women

Those of Middle Age Especially.

When you have found no remedy for the horrors that oppress you during change of life, when through the long hours of the day it seems as though your back would break, when your head aches constantly, you are nervous, depressed and suffer from those dreadful bearing down pains, don't forget that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the safest and surest remedy, and has carried hundreds of women safely through this critical period.

Read what these three women say:

From Mrs. Hornung, Buffalo, N. Y.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—"I am writing to let you know how much your medicine has done for me. I failed terribly during the last winter and summer and every one remarked about my appearance. I suffered from a female trouble and always had pains in my back, no appetite and at times was very weak.

"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. Hornung, 91 Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Was A Blessing To This Woman.

SO. RICHMOND, VA.—"I was troubled with a bearing down pain and a female weakness and could not stand long on my feet. Of all the medicines I took nothing helped me like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now regular and am getting along fine. I cannot praise the Compound too much. It has been a blessing to me and I hope it will be to other women."—Mrs. D. TYLER, 23 West Clopton St., South Richmond, Va.

Pains in Side, Could Hardly Stand.

Lodi, Wis.—"I was in a bad condition, suffering from a female trouble, and I had such pains in my sides I could hardly move. Before I had taken the whole of one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt better, and now I am well and can do a good day's work. I tell everybody what your medicine has done for me."—Mrs. JOHN THOMPSON, Lodi, Wisconsin.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health. Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



ONE FUNERAL IN EVERY TEN AMONG CHURCH MEMBERS DUE TO TUBERCULOSIS

Study of 3,000 Churches with 1,600,000 Members, Shows One Case of Consumption A Year for Every 20 Communicants.

In an effort to ascertain how serious a problem tuberculosis is to the average church congregation of the United States, the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis publishes today a report which shows that in nearly 3,000 churches in 37 different states one funeral in every ten is due to this single disease.

Through a questionnaire sent out all over the country, 2,852 clergymen representing 1,603,300 communicants or parishioners gave re-

DANDRUFF SOON BURNS THE HAIR

Makes It Lifeless, Dull, Dry, Brittle and Thin.

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't. It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid auron; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips. By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single tiny and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid auron at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much damage you have. This simple remedy gives full.

How The Belgians Harassed The Germans Along The Ypres



In the terrible fighting along the Ypres river Belgian sharpshooters made good use of armored trains, which ran at high speed and from which they picked off German artillerymen in the Kaiser's lines of trenches. Photo shows one of these armored trains with sharpshooters and a four inch piece trained on the German lines.

Governors Conference Convenes Today

Governor Emmet O'Neal, of Alabama, Reads His Report Before Body of Chief Executives This Afternoon.

MADISON, WIS., Nov. 10.—Governors of most of the states of the Union and many ex-governors and other prominent men interested in the questions to be discussed gathered here today for the seventh annual session of the Governor's Conference. The meeting will last five days.

Among the matters to come before the chief executives of the commonwealths are rural credits, natural resources, foreign corporations, extradition, the Governor's relation to measures he wishes passed by the Legislature of the State, safety and sanitation laws, and administration machinery.

The Governors gathered at the Wisconsin State capitol this morning and listened to addresses of welcome from Governor Francis E. McGovern of Wisconsin, Mayor A. H. Mayer of Madison, and President Charles R. Van Buren of the University of Wisconsin. Governor Joseph M. Carey, of Wyoming, delivered a response to the addressers of welcome, on behalf of the Governors.

O'Neal to Make Report.

This afternoon Governor Emmet O'Neal of Alabama, chairman of the

committee on rural credits, read the report of the committee.

There will be several social features to the conference and many of the visitors have brought their wives and members of their families. Tonight Governor McGovern will give a reception in the Governor's reception room, which will be followed by dancing in the Assembly Chamber.

Tomorrow Governor William Spry of Utah will speak on "State Control of Natural Resources," the University of Wisconsin will give a luncheon and an executive session will be held. Thursday Governor Charles R. Miller of Delaware will speak on "Uniformity of Laws," laying the conditions to be met by foreign corporations before doing business in a State. Governor S. V. Stewart of Montana on "Extradition," and Governor F. M. Byrne of South Dakota on "Submission of the Governors' Recommendation in Bill Form."

On Friday Governor Edward P. Dunne of Illinois will address the conference on "Uniformity of Safety and Sanitation Laws for Places of Employment, including Administrative Machinery;" and a dinner will be given by the Madison Board of Commerce, which also has the general arrangements for the conference in charge.

Saturday the Governors will adjourn to the city of Milwaukee, where they will be the guests of the Chamber of Commerce, Citizen's Business League and the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association of that city.

PROGRAM IS COMPLETED FOR S. S. CONVENTION

Big Meeting of Sunday School Delegates to be Held in Dothan April 7, 8, 9, 1914.

By the action of the State Executive Committee, the Thirty-first Annual State Convention of the Alabama Sunday School Association will be held in Dothan, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 7, 8, 9, 1914. This will be the first time in thirteen years that it has been held in Southeast Alabama and the present indications are that it will be a great success for the Presbyterian Church, U. S. that the Association has yet held. At the convention in Mobile last year 1,014 delegates, representing Alabama and other states. The 15 denominations, and every county in Alabama except 3, were in attendance. It is hoped this year that every county will be represented.

The local arrangements are in the hands of a committee of prominent business men, of which Mr. H. R. McQuaile, President of the Houston county Sunday School Association is chairman. The Dothan Chamber of Commerce, which took

the initiative in bringing the convention to Dothan, is co-operating with the Sunday School Association.

Program Completed.

General Secretary Leon C. Palmer of Montgomery, announces that the complete program has been prepared.

New prunes, very fine. U.S. Grocery Co.

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Full information about the convention can be secured from Leon C. Palmer, general secretary of the Alabama Sunday School Association, Montgomery, Ala.

Leave Your Measure for one of my satisfactory suits. Every garment I turn out is cut and made on the premises by tailors who are experts. No guess work here. You are guaranteed a perfect fit, otherwise you are not expected to take the suit.

And the workmanship put into the clothes from this shop is as good as you could get on Fifth Avenue, New York,—silk-sleeved arms, hand-worked button holes, hand-felled collars,—in short a

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DOTHAN LOUNGE on A. E. 1. 1. M.

Regular convivialities held on second Saturday afternoons and Thursday nights preceding fourth Saturday of each month. Visiting brothers are extended a cordial invitation to meet with us.

J. H. Conner, W. M.

G. A. Scott, Secretary.

DOTHAN CHAPTER NO. 118

R. A. M.

Regular convivialities held on 2nd and 4th Friday nights. Visiting companions are corded a warm welcome.

Chester W. Newton, H. F. G. Liddy, Secretary.

DOTHAN CAMP NO. 188, W. G. W.

Meets second and

fourth Tuesday

nights over Mr. W.

Drug Store. All

qualified Sovereigns

are invited to meet with us.

H. K. Martin, G. C.

W. J. Darden, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN AMERICA, KICKWOOD CAMP, NO. 1800

Meets 2nd and

3rd Thursday

nights over Mr. W.

McClintock's

Cabinet.

S. F. Wilson, Clerk.

A Store for the Masses

This store since its organization has been a store for the masses. A store where the man with a big family and a small purse could supply his every day needs and then have something left. And if you are not a regular customer here right now in these times of financial stress is the time to learn of the savings we offer you in buying goods.

For All The Family

Shut out as we are out of the high rent district, owning our own store building and doing practically all our own work with a very small overhead expense, we are in position to supply all your needs at lower prices than any other store in Dothan.

Millinery

When it comes to millinery, there's not another house in this section can sell you a stylish, becoming hat at anywhere near as low a price as we can. Come and let us show you that you've been paying too much for your hats. Goods delivered free to Dothan. If you live out of Dothan, order by parcel post.

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